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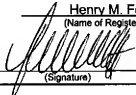
## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: BRAUER

In re Application of: MICHAEL BRAUER	)	
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Appl. No.: 10/550,125	)	Examiner: D. Scheuermann
Filed: October 20, 2005	)	Group Art Unit: 2837
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For: TRACTION DRIVE SYSTEM	)	Confirmation No.: 8456

### REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above application in response to the Official Action of January 7, 2009, having a shortened period for response terminating April 7, 2009.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116, previously filed on .

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .

iii. ☐ Other

b. ☒ Enclosed

- i. ☒ Amendment/reply.
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103 (c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required)
- b. ☐ Other

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

☐ Other

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Respectfully submitted,

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